

**LATEST INTELLIGENCE.**  
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(Correspondence of the Herald.)  
Washington, Sept. 19, 1845—10 P. M.  
*Distinguished Arrivals*—*Mr. Gillett, Register of the Treasury, off to the New York Custom House, to bring up the Returns of Exports and Imports—Consulship—Ship Congress—Affairs at the Sandwich Islands.*  
There will be an agitation in this pool of Siloam before long, though not by an angel. Something is going to be done. In addition to the Hon. R. H. Morris, (your late Mayor,) at Coleman's, we have at Brown's this evening, the distinguished U. S. Com-

missioner with Texas, Hon. A. J. Donelson, and Hon. Edward A. Hannegan, of Indiana, (U. S. Senate).

Mr. Gillett, Register of the Treasury, left, as we learn, this evening for a short visit to his residence in St. Lawrence county, New York. He will stop, upon returning, to assist Col. Lawrence and the deputes in making up his report of inventory and exports to the Secretary of the Treasury, in readiness for the Secretary's report to Congress. It appears that Collector Van Ness's returns for his last year have not been made out, and that there are a number of difficult cases in the service of your Custom House, as to whose account certain goods are to be plac'd. For instance, a large amount of goods were warchoused by Collector Van Ness, and

The delay in furnishing, or rather in finishing

up the monthly and quarterly statements in your Custom House, may arise from the fact, that if the clerks had hurried themselves, a number of them would have been thrown out of employment upon the succession to the Collectorship of Collector Lawrence. Mr. Gillett is a man of business, and we are

A Mr. Sherwood, of New York, it is said, has been appointed Consul to Messina, in the Mediterranean.

The frigate Congress, which ought to have been off some time ago to the Sandwich Islands, has been delayed by a further order of ten days at Norfolk. Our commercial affairs at the Islands aforesaid are said to be in a state of suspension—the U. S. Commissioner Brown, and the U. S. Consul Abell, (Tyler's appointments,) being chargeable with this business. Ten Eyck, is the new Commissioner, and Tazewell the new Consul. They will

to go out in the Congress. Perhaps she is waiting for them. Speculations are rife as to the detention and destination of the Congress, and something further may be developed in a few days.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 20, 1864.

*The Weather and Business—Scarcity of News—Gough and the Temperance Folks—The Row in Slicerdom—Markets, &c.*

The weather continues delightful, and, after so warm and sultry a summer, is enjoyed to its full extent. The cars from the west, and the boats from the south arrive daily crowded with passengers, and are met principally by the representatives of their respective supplies, an unusual number of whom remain in Baltimore, whilst others continue on without delay to New York and Philadelphia. Baltimore has consequently been highly favored so far this season, and our merchants are doing all the business that it is possible for them to attend to. They sell all day and pack all night, and are ready again in the morning to meet new customers, who are always at hand.—The fact is, the wholesale trade of Baltimore within the past two years has more than doubled, and when our railroad reaches the Ohio, and is tapped by the Columbus and Cincinnati route, the improvement will be still more rapid and gratifying.

There is nothing of a local character worthy of note, and our papers are all dull and uninteresting.

The temperance folks are looking with great anxiety for the promised statement from Mr. Gough relative to the sale of the "Bible and the Temperance Cause."

and temples. It is to be hoped that his fate will put an end to the practice, which of late has been so extensively observed, of hearing horrors and favors on reform debauches and on the following dramatic and theatrical performances. The temperance cause stands as of not the slightest account. It is in effect offered a premium to vice, by making reformation the surest road to distinction and honor. They travel through the most atrocious scenes, and are rewarded with honors, poetic stories and heart-breaking trials to relate at home, when they are stimulated by shouts of applause; and so soon as this applause ceases, its stimulating effects wear off, and their real nature appears. They take drugs, until step by step they again fall into the gutter.

We have had frequent cases of the kind in Baltimore. I learn that the Rev. Henry Slicer is preparing for the next winter to visit England, where he was formerly minister in charge of the North Baltimore station. The Rev. Henry is a tough cut to deal with, and we may expect some interesting developments with respect to the matter of the "Lion." He is a man who knows what he says, which they will remember for the rest of their lives. They have roused the lion, and will now have to tremble at its wrath. What did I say? Oh no, of course there were many other things said, having to do with the same or another pressing character. It is only as sinful moral

als that allow such feelings to predominate over our better natures.

**THE OFFERS.**—The offerings of Beef cattle at the drove yards this week amounted to 774, a larger number than at any other time for some weeks, and prices were fairly supported, the extent of the sales being considered. The offerings of Hogs were 1,000, the largest number driven Eastwardly, and 31 let under. Hogs continue in fair supply at \$5 for merchantable, while inferior have been sold at \$4.50.

**THE MILL.**—The City Mills Flourists limited, and the continuance of dry weather operates very seriously against milling; still, the few sales which have been made were at \$4.50, the former price, although millers are being compelled to pay higher rates, relatively, for the cost of the wheat. Dealers are not buying much in advance, and some of them have realized \$4.00, while others are looking for \$4.63. The inspection for the past week comprise 7,783 barrels, and 892 half barrels.

**THE STOCK BOARD.**—The Stock market is firm, and prices look upward. City a six per cent. of 1890 are at 101, sales—closing at 101 1/2. State of Maryland a six per cent. of 1890 are at 99, sales—closing at 99 1/2. Cash, 79 1/2. Sterling five per cent. 89.79. Three per cent.—none.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 21, 1845.

We have a raw northern storm with plenty of rain which renders it disagreeable, and puts one in mind of the approach of winter. A fire broke out yesterday afternoon in the row of houses opposite Moyamensing Hall, which destroyed the roofs of all of them. It caught from a burning chimney. This row of houses is the same that was partially destroyed in the election riot of 1832, when the Irish Orangemen and whigs fired out of the windows of the corner house upon the election ground, which was directly opposite. Mr. Robb, the owner of the row, received, after much trouble by act of Assembly, a compensation from the public purse for his damages. The fire of 1832 revived in the minds of the public the scenes of 1832.

The natives begin to hold their meetings for the campaign. The whole city was startled on Friday night by the firing of heavy ordnance, which sounded like minute guns. The next morning there was an enquiry in

every direction is to the cause, when it was ascertained to have been the intention of the Legislature to locate the new State Point, N. J., on the Delaware river, opposite and a little below the city. That party have ratification meetings on Monday. They had one at Cedar Ward a few nights since. They held a mass meeting of the Northern districts to-morrow, (Monday) evening. Edward Joy Morris, late whig Congressman from the First District, and a young man of superior abilities as an orator and politician, is the whig opposition to the present incumbent. He was the whig candidate in 1844 for re-election in the first Congressional district, but the whigs abandoned him to defeat the democrat, Dr. Lehman, and assisted the present incumbent. He is a man of great energy and enthusiastic admirer of Henry Clay, he is popular among the adherents of that statesman in this section; they are incensed at the shabby treatment he experienced at the hands of the present incumbent, and they will all his talents, to crush the natives. It remains to be seen whether the whig party will co-operate. I have my doubts, however, as the whigs in circulation for the purpose of circulating contain the name of the whig ticket for the "row" only, an indication that here the whigs of the county will concentrate and give the natives a chance to elect a democrat. I understand that the whig club, Philip clergy, have been

The fact was not generally anticipated, and the attendance was consequently not very extensive. The trial was held in the Court room of the City Hall, and a portion of our citizens, and it is said the jury will not be able to agree. They came into Court on Saturday afternoon, but the Court sent them out again, and adjourned to the next day. The jury was not called to attend to them. What will be the result no one can anticipate, but it is feared that the laws will not in this instance be vindicated.

On the 21st of the month of the Times, it is said, goes to Europe as a bearer of despatches to our Minister at the Court of St. James. He is in New York, from whence he takes passage, it is believed, today, for Liverpool.

The body of Capt. R. De Lutzen, who was drowned on Tuesday night last, while walking from the N. York steamboat and in the shower on the gang-way plank, has been found, and the inquest will be over it.

There is a great number of people in the city, and so crowded as on previous evenings, the play being familiar to all, and the people now desiring none. Tomorrow, Monday night, both appear a second time in the city, and will be followed by the same company, and the lady's Beatrice unrivaled. The repetition

of this performance is because of the universally expressed desire of the public.